

**OPHS 2023-24
PARENT ADVISORY
COUNCIL**

**EMPOWERING ALL TO BE FUTURE
READY,
TOGETHER**



OPHS

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Welcome new attendees!!!



Launching Thriving Futures PWCS Strategic Plan

PWCS Commitments:

- Learning and achievement for all
- Climate and Culture
- Family and Community Engagement
- Organizational Coherence

Osborn Park High School Continuous Improvement Plan

Our goals:

- Increase in passing scores on SOL exams for EL and SpEd students
- Increase in on-time graduation rate for EL students
- 85% of families will have opportunities to authentically engage in their child's school

Areas of Focus

- Instruction
 - Core
 - Success Criterion
 - 7 Steps
- Relationships
- Customer Service

▶ **GIFTED ED**

- ▶ Gifted ed. is finding much success as it provides its 11th and 12th grade gifted seminar program which is the first year it is being provided in OPHS history. We have higher attendance in these programs that is typically seen in other gifted programs.
- ▶ Lastly, our gifted electives have received a county-level “face lift” so to speak. They are now titled Gifted Seminar: Progress and Power and Gifted Seminar: Philosophy. Power and Progress has seen a significant overhaul of the curriculum in the last year or so. This was done to maintain relevancy to modern day issues as they relate to power, progress, and technology in the US. Students who are eligible to receive gifted services can see their counselor to sign up for either of these courses.

▶ **EL STUDENTS**

- ▶ WIDA testing: The recent progress monitoring success: Improvement in level: 61% Writing and 59% Speaking
- ▶ Looking for Bilingual English and Spanish

▶ **ENGLISH**

- ▶ The Dual Enrollment program would like to congratulate all students who completed English 111 during the first semester. We have seven full classes this year, and those students have already earned three college credits for their hard work. (They are excited to earn three additional credits this semester with English 112!)
- ▶ Students many of our English classes have been reading Shakespeare plays (or will do so soon). They have been making the scenes come to life by refining their acting skills during their classes.

HIVE HAPPENINGS!

- OPHS Candidates for PWCS
 - Teacher of the Year
 - New teacher of the year
 - Support staff of the year
- What is EOS? Equal Opportunity Schools
- Girls Varsity Basketball!
- Academic Advising has started!
 - Rising 12th grade: Feb 1 – Feb 14
 - Rising 11th grade: Feb 15- March 1
 - Rising 10th grade: March 1 - 15
 - Rising 9th grade: March 16-28
 - May 31: Last day for Parents to request a schedule change
 - AP form for approval
- Junior Symposium February 13 at 6 pm
- March 21 SAT day for Juniors
- Summer School will be held at OPHS
- Fully staffed with Security Assistants
- Hired a new Administrative Assistant (Flor Contreras)
Last names A-Bro

